

Senate File 421 - Introduced

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BY COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT
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A BILL FOR

1 An Act establishing a multiple sclerosis support fund and
2 authorizing lottery games to benefit persons with multiple
3 sclerosis.
4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:
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1 1 Section 1. NEW SECTION. 99G.9B LIMITED SERIES OF LOTTERY
1 2 GAMES TO BENEFIT PERSONS WITH MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS.
1 3 The chief executive officer, in consultation with the
1 4 board, shall develop and conduct one additional instant
1 5 scratch and one additional pull-tab lottery game annually to
1 6 provide moneys for the benefit of persons with multiple
1 7 sclerosis. The moneys received from the sale of tickets for
1 8 each lottery game shall be deposited in a special account in
1 9 the lottery fund. Notwithstanding section 99G.39, after
1 10 payment of the prizes, the remaining moneys shall be
1 11 transferred to the multiple sclerosis support fund established
1 12 pursuant to section 135.23.
1 13 Sec. 2. NEW SECTION. 135.23 MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS SUPPORT
1 14 FUND.
1 15 1. A multiple sclerosis support fund is created in the
1 16 state treasury under the control of the department. The fund
1 17 consists of all moneys transferred or appropriated to the
1 18 fund.
1 19 2. Moneys in the fund are appropriated to the department
1 20 to be used for the purpose of providing financial assistance
1 21 to organizations in this state that support and assist persons
1 22 with multiple sclerosis or provide funding for research
1 23 relating to multiple sclerosis.
1 24 3. Moneys in the multiple sclerosis support fund are not
1 25 subject to section 8.33. Notwithstanding section 12C.7,
1 26 subsection 2, interest or earnings on moneys in the multiple
1 27 sclerosis support fund shall be credited to the fund.
1 28 EXPLANATION
1 29 This bill provides that the chief executive officer of the
1 30 lottery authority shall develop and conduct one additional
1 31 instant scratch and one additional pull-tab lottery game
1 32 annually for the benefit of persons with multiple sclerosis.
1 33 Moneys received from the games, less prizes, shall be
1 34 transferred to the multiple sclerosis support fund.
1 35 The bill establishes the multiple sclerosis support fund
2 1 under the control of the department of public health and
2 2 provides that moneys in the fund shall be used for providing
2 3 financial assistance to organizations in this state that
2 4 support and assist persons with multiple sclerosis or provide
2 5 funding for research relating to multiple sclerosis.
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